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In re Patent Application of:  
Richard E. Jesmonth

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GENERATING  
THREE-DIMENSIONAL DENSITY-BASED  
DEFECT MAP

Examiner: S. J. M. Saini

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTIONMS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/ Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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